

*For immediate release*

## Indiana offender mistakenly released from Illinois

Indianapolis, IN (January 31, 2013) – The Indiana Department of Correction (IDOC) announced the mistaken release of an offender from authorities in Chicago, Illinois.

44-year-old Steven L. Robbins (DOC#145839) was released from the Indiana State Prison on court order on January 29, 2013 to the Cook County Circuit Court on a detainer for Possession of Controlled Substance with Intent to Deliver. The charges against Robbins were dropped, but for reasons yet unknown, the offender was released by Illinois authorities without being held for return to IDOC custody. A warrant has been issued in both Indiana and Illinois.

Steven L. Robbins is described as a black male, approximately 5 ft and 5 inches, 190 lbs. He has a tattoo on the right side of his neck that says “Nicole”.

Robbins was born in Gary, IN and is serving a 60 year sentence for Murder and Carrying a Handgun without a License out of Marion County Indiana. Offender Robbins arrived at the Indiana State Prison on October 25, 2004, and his earliest projected release date was June 29, 2029.



Steven L. Robbins DOC#145839

Local and state law enforcement in both Illinois and Indiana are conducting an investigation to locate and apprehend Robbins. If you spot this individual do not approach, please contact the nearest law enforcement agency, or dial 911. Anyone with information regarding Steven Robbins whereabouts can also call Crime Stoppers at (317) 262-TIPS (8477).

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